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The People's Column

Toads are commonly creatures that inspire dislike on the part of the beholder. Nevertheless, the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture finds that toads are distinctly useful in fields and gardens and deserve protection. Their usefulness depends on their appetite. They are gourmands, and eat all sorts of insects in great quantities. True it is that they eat some useful insects but they eat so many more harmful insects that the balance is much in their favor.

One of the peculiarities of the toad is its habit of eating stinging or poisonous insects and allied creatures as ants, bees, wasps, rose chafers, blister beetles, millipedes, and poisonous spiders. While they may cause the toad some slight discomfort, the pain evidently is not serious enough to vanquish the toad's appetite. Toads have been known to eat certain plant-eating millipedes, which secrete the highly poisonous hydrocyanic acid.

Of the many kinds of toads living the various parts of the world today the United States is the home of what is probably the smallest, the oak toad of the Southeastern states, which feeds chiefly on ants. The Colorado toad is one of the largest, about 9 inches long, with a mouth large enough to swallow birds, although insects are its principal food.

ABOUT BRYAN

C. L. Baker Jr., A. S. McSwain, W. L. Dowling, Jack Boone, Walter McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edge, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Carroll and others from Bryan and Brazos County who attended the American Legion convention in San Antonio this week, returned today from that city and report a wonderful convention and a delightful time.

A delightful social affair of Tuesday was a benefit bridge tournament given at Villa Maria Ursuline convent by the women friends of that institution. A large crowd was present and took part in the game of bridge, forty-two and other contests.

Miss Frances Smith, daughter of Mrs. Louise H. Smith of this city, and who is a bride-to-be of the month of November, was honored at the meeting of the Embroidery Club, Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Dona Carnes, hostess.

George R. Branch, Jr., grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Buchanan, is resting well this afternoon at their home on West 24th Street, after undergoing an operation having tonsils and adenoids removed this morning at 8:30 o'clock. His many little friends are wishing for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Bartz of this city attended the big American Legion convention held in San Antonio this week and will remain over for the week-end in that city, visiting relatives. Mrs. A. Bartz, mother of Mr. Bartz, came over to Bryan from her home at Rosebud, and is staying with the children in the home, during the absence of M. and Mrs. Bartz.

The Brazos County A. and M. 'Mothers' Club will have a book shower Friday afternoon, Oct. 12 from 3 to 6 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. B. Conner for the benefit of the A. and M. College hospital. Bryan women are urged to attend and take a book, that the sick boys who are confined in the hospital may use. These books do not have to be new but one may have a book on their shelves that they have read and are willing to pass it on to others.

Search Is Made for Young Bride

DALLAS, Oct. 9.—While a nation-wide search was being conducted for his 13-year-old girl wife, whom he says was kidnapped from him by two men in a roadster between Little Rock and Memphis, Billie Edwards, 19, sat in jail here tonight reiterating his love for the girl and protesting his innocence of any wrongdoing.

Edwards, known throughout the Southwest as the "harmonica king," is held on a charge of false swearing. His bride, the former Marion Sherman, Dallas bathing revue beauty, he said, had told him she was 18 years of age when he obtained a marriage license.

THE MAN WHO ALWAYS PAYS THE HIGHEST CASH TOP MARKET PRICE FOR YOUR EGGS, CHICKENS AND TURKEYS.

Express Clerks in New York City on Strike

14 Convicts Make Escape From Prison Farm

FOUR ARE RECAPTURED WHILE BLOOD HOUNDS SEARCH OTHERS

Three of the Prisoners Were to Face Trial for Firing Tubercular Building Farm Last Week, Which Destroyed Four Other Buildings; Some Expected to Be Caught Soon

(By Associated Press)

HUNTSVILLE, Oct. 10.—Fourteen convicts escaped from the Wynne State Prison farm last night by sawing a hole in the floor of the building in which they were housed. Four prisoners were recaptured at Huntsville, two miles from the farm, shortly after their escape. Three of them are to face trial for firing the tubercular building on the farm last week, which destroyed four other buildings on the farm with an approximate loss of \$9,000.00. Blood hounds are trailing the other men today. Officials of the State Penitentiary here said they expected to recapture some of them soon. They all were serving comparatively light sentences.

Brazos County Singing Meet Slated Sunday

The October meeting of the Brazos County Singing convention was held Sunday at Tabor in the northern part of the county, and for attendance, good singing, good fellowship and a general good time for everybody was declared one of the very best in years.

The people of Tabor community, always hospitable and always thoughtful to give the best to their friends and visitors, outdid all their former efforts in honor of the meeting of the singing convention in their midst, on Sunday, and made the occasion one of pleasure for all.

Not only were the rural communities of Brazos county well represented at this convention, but also the various communities of Grimes, Madison, Leon, Milam and Robertson counties also.

Jess Hensarling of Bryan, president of the Brazos County Singing convention, for the past three or four years and who has made such a splendid record for success that he can not be excelled, called the meeting to order promptly at 10:30 a. m. with the largest attendance of singers assembled for the first songs of the convention in many years. Roland Crenshaw, secretary, was at the desk, and read the minutes of the former meeting after which, the various choirs were arranged for chorus singing. A section was set aside marked with placards for so-

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Half Inch Rain Falls Tuesday

Half an inch of rain fell in Bryan Tuesday night, accompanied by a severe electrical storm. The rain lasted between 7:15 and 9 o'clock.

The rain is reported to have been general over the county. No damage of any consequence was reported.

Brazos County Has Fifty Boys at A.-M.

The Brazos County A. and M. Club held its first meeting of the scholastic year in the "Y" parlor today at noon. The primary purpose of the meeting was to elect officers for the session 1928-29 and to look over the new prospects for membership.

Brazos County A. and M. Club was reorganized two years ago and has since been doing successful work as a club. Its membership at present numbers over 50 students from Bryan and College Station. With A. and M. so near it is "home" to Brazos County members and it should prove to be one of the liveliest clubs on the campus.

The following officers were elected: President, Edwin Jancik; vice president, Roy Driver; secretary-treasurer, A. D. Martin; social secretary, Tom Bagley.

(Special to The Eagle)

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WEATHER REPORT

SINGING AND MORE SINGING CHEERS LIONS

M. M. ERSKINE GIVES REPORT ON HIS 10-YEAR PROGRAM FOR CLUB

Men, women and song. The Lions Tuesday listened to one of the best musical programs ever given here, the singing being furnished by both men and women artists. The other feature of the program was a comprehensive 10-year program submitted by M. M. Erskine, who was chairman of a committee appointed for this purpose. Mr. Erskine also was in charge of the program, which was greatly enjoyed.

Music was furnished by Miss Kathleen Cason and George Griffin, Bryan artists who will sing over the radio Friday night at Houston in the Atwater Kent contest. They sang four songs each, accompanied by Mrs. Sarah Goodman. They will sing one of the four songs Friday night. The Lions promise to listen to the program, which will be given between 7 and 9 o'clock and to vote for the local singers. Miss Cason will sing one of these four songs: "Schubert's Serenade," "Gypsy Love Song," "Els Lullaby," and (Continued on page 8)

Big Audience Is Expected to See Arabella Friday

With spectacular lightning and vociferous thunder going on outside the members of the cast of "Here Comes Arabella," which will be presented Friday night at the high school auditorium were busy Tuesday night singing, dancing, and coining in rehearsals. The play Friday night promises to be as spectacular as the lightning and it is believed that the applause will be as loud as the thunder.

There is more interest in the coming of Arabella to Bryan than there was in the visit of the late William Jennings Bryan in 1924 or in Pusseyfoot Johnson's coming in 1926. Arabella must be a cousin of Lindbergh's or Babe Ruth's or Al Smith's.

At this meeting plans were made for the high school press convention, which will be held at Belton Dec. 14 and 15. He reports a most pleasant and profitable meeting of the committee.

Others present included Kenneth Mansfield of Dallas and Miss Helen Gould of Taylor.

Allen Academy is one of the institutions of the state represented on the executive committee.

Atton Williams Selling Sheep

Wolves in Brazos county in the Navasota river bottom section are depredating on the sheep ranchers until it has become necessary for some of the ranchmen to sell their herds. This week Amon Williams sold to Robert Snyder of Llano 600 head of sheep. Mr. Williams also shipped 3 car loads of 1 year old steers to A. C. Hewgley of Lampasas.

The Williams ranch consists of 13,000 acres and is one of the best ranches in this section of Texas. For years Mr. Williams has contended that Brazos county is an ideal cow and ranch country and he is proving it by profitable profits.

Early this week dipping cattle was started on the Williams ranch and it will be kept up until the cattle are free of ticks.

Presbyterians Honor Minter

(By Associated Press)

LUBBOCK, Oct. 10.—Doctor W. R. Minter, Austin, was elected moderator of the Texas Presbytery Synod of the U. S. here today.

WEATHER REPORT

MANY PRAY FOR BEAUMONT PRIEST TODAY

(By Associated Press)

BEAUMONT, Oct. 10.—Seventy-five priests today prayed before the body of Reverend Anthony De Simone, found shot to death in his study Monday, as it lay in state. Meanwhile the body of John Rose, statuary and candle dealer, who officers shot the priest and then killed himself, was held at an undertaker's establishment. He will be buried tomorrow unless contrary instructions are received from relatives.

Music Study Club Open Meeting for Friday Afternoon

The opening meeting of the Bryan Music Study Club will be held in Carnegie Library on Friday, Oct. 12, at 3:30, instead of Thursday the 11th. This change is made because of the Parent-Teacher's meeting on Thursday. Each member of the club is expected to invite one guest for this meeting which is President's Day. Mrs. R. E. Smith being hostess to the club. A delightful program has been arranged and a full attendance is expected.

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Carnes' Assets Are Being Held

(By Associated Press)

ATLANTA, Oct. 10.—A petition intended to conserve for the Baptist home mission board certain reported assets of Clinton S. Carnes, its indicted former treasurer, has been filed in superior court here.

The petition, an amendment to a suit filed several weeks ago by Walter R. Brown, Atlanta lawyer and Baptist layman, alleged Carnes loaned \$5,000 to Dr. B. D. Gray, former secretary and now acting treasurer of the board, and that the \$5,000 belonged to the board. The suit asks that Dr. Gray's home, given as loan security, be held for the board.

Arabella is starred in a beautiful musical comedy that has costumes almost as pretty as you see in Ziegfeld's Follies and there is a lot more to 'em. However, not too much to obstruct the dancing.

When interviewed today Sam Crenshaw admitted that "I am mighty glad Arabella is coming. I have been waiting or her all week and have done just what Miss Martha Carlton, the piquant but pleasant director has told me."

Mrs. Milton Fountain, who plays the part of Arabella, the little gypsy girl, said "gypsy life isn't half bad. In fact, I wouldn't trade places with Cinderella." Gypsy girls don't need any slippers at all.

Miss Rose Marie Graham, the pianist, enthusiastically remarked, "this play is just darling."

About that time a clapping of thunder was heard, showing that the elements approved of the remark.

Alligators Are Brought to Town

W. C. Mobley brought in yesterday from near Courtney on the Brazos river a fine specimen of the alligators growing in the waters of that red stream. This particular specimen was about 9 feet in length and was captured with a rifle in the hands of Jeff Lott.

The alligator is on exhibit at a local barber shop and looks much like a pike, or may be pickerel. It belongs to the species designated as Mississippiensis, because of the very large size the alligator often attains.

Mr. Lott fired from one bank to the other to bring down the game, the shot ending for all time the career of this particular specimen.—Navasota Examiner.

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RELIGION IS PRAISED BY COOLIDGE

PRESIDENT SPEAKS AT GENERAL CONVENTION OF EPISCOPAL CHURCH

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 10.—Addressing a general convention of Episcopal church here today, President Coolidge proclaimed religion to be necessary for the continuation and maintenance of those liberties and privileges which are characteristic of American life. The present convention and other similar organizations were taken by the President as evidence that "major forces of the world are actively and energetically engaged in promoting spiritual advancement" of humanity.

The Sam Houston Normal reserves will play Allen Academy here Saturday afternoon at Allen Field at 4 o'clock, according to Coach Puny Wilson.

Allen Academy has played and won two games this year by decisive scores, and appears to have one of their best teams in many years.

The Allen coaches are working on team play this week, and also are striving to develop new plays to greater perfection.

Coach Wilson was liberal in his praise of the three Bryan boys on the team, Bill Merka, Mike Barron, Slick Martin and Sam Trant.

Allen's probable starting line up Saturday will be: Center, McLeod; guards, Nelson and Merka; tackles, Ashburn and Staples; ends, Captain Barnett and Trant; quarter, Arendale; halves, Barron and Martin; full, Cunningham.

The state was represented by County Attorney W. E. Neely while the defense was represented by Judge J. G. Minkert.

The state has secured a conviction in practically every case that has come up at this term, but none of the sentences have been compound or complex but simple, all being of only a few years.

What is well done is done soon enough.—Du Bartas.

UNION CLAIMS THAT STRIKE IS TO EXTEND THROUGHOUT NATION

No Official Explanation Made of Strike But One Delegate Says It Is on Account of Failure to Observe Seniority Rule Which Is of Much Importance in Slack Times

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—New York was the scene today of an unannounced strike of members of the Brotherhood of Railroad and Express Clerks employed by the American Railway Express Company, which went into effect shortly after midnight, the cause of which was shrouded somewhat in mystery. The union claims there were between 12,000 and 15,000 employees who had quit and asserted the strike would extend throughout the country. No official statement on the reason for the strike could be obtained but one delegate explained that the principal grievance was the failure of the company to recognize the seniority rule, whereby in slack seasons the most recent employee would be the first to be laid off.

Legion Having Big Celebration

Howell Attends Friend's Funeral Held at Austin

B. E. Howell, chief plumber with the building and grounds department of A. and M. College, went to Austin today to attend the funeral of Joe Blunn who was a victim of the shooting affray that claimed the life of Chief of Police J. N. Littlepage yesterday.

Blunn, a carpenter, was at work on the house where the negro, Alexander, sought to hide after shooting his wife. Alexander discolored Blunn after entering the building and shot him, evidently in frantic effort to escape being taken by officers. Nearby persons hearing the shot that killed Blunn, called Chief Littlepage, who also was fatally shot when he approached the building to take Alexander. Alexander committed suicide after shooting Littlepage.

Mr. Howell is a nephew of Blunn's. His daughter Maurine accompanied him to Austin. Mrs. Howell could not go on account of illness.

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Two Teams That Win National Praise and Are Champions in Their Own Belt Last Year, Meet at A.-M. Saturday

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 10.—Two maroon and white teams both of whom won national praise last season and each of whom carried away honors in its conference last fall, will clash on Kyle Field Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock when the Texas Aggie gridironers of Coach Dana X. Bible and Coach Homer Norton's Centenary Gentlemen meet in what is expected to be one of the outstanding games of the southwest football card this year.

The Aggies last year went thru to the championship of the Southwest Conference, winning all of their games except one, which resulted in a scoreless tie with the T. C. U. Horned Frogs. The Gents were victors in the S. L. A. A. and were one of the few teams in the country who finished with a record marred by neither defeat nor a tie game. Both of the teams were among the high point scorers of the country, the Aggies finishing last fall with a total of 262 points to their

Boys' And Girls' Club Department

Club Notes and Farm News by County Agent C. L. Beason and Home Demonstration Agent Lucy Givens

Big Acorn Crop

The acorn crop promises to be fine this fall, but this is not without its faults or handicaps. First there is a scarcity of hogs to consume the big acorn crop. Again, stockmen say the cattle and sheep will fare badly when turned on the acorns. As the old farmer used to tell us, "You can't get all the squirrels up one tree."

Council To Meet

The 4-H Club Council will have its regular meeting on next Saturday, October 13. All club members taking part in the club program will also meet at this time for practice before going to King's Highway that night. Don't fail to be on hand. Two p.m.

Pastures Dry

The continued drought is making our pastures poor and the scant feed crop produced this year indicates that Brazos county horses and mules will start into winter in bad shape. Winter and spring plowing time will find them in poor condition for work. Winter grazing and early spring feed crops will help this situation to some extent. It is only the inevitable road traveled by cotton farmers the world over. We feed the cotton mills but not our livestock.

First To Enroll

Elmer Newcomb of Reliance is the first to enroll in club work for 1929, his club program being sheep and geese. He is the first to select geese for a club undertaking, but there is no reason why he can not make a good record. County Agent Beason has been running with Secretary Eberstadt so long that both eat "goose" alike now. The truth of the matter is, there is not much they don't eat.

Agree Upon This

"Dad" Short says: "All do not agree as to the religion of the soul, but all will agree as to the religion of the soil."

Don't Keep In Flock

Among the yellow legged varieties of chickens, no hen found with yellow legs during this month should be kept in the flock, as yellow shanks at this season indicate poor layers.

Six On Fire

Brazos county farmers who are planning further demonstrations in the use of fertilizers will be interested in the following paragraph taken from the Extension Press Letter of October 1: "Six" bales of cotton on five acres have been made by E. Whitmire of Madison county by the use of 5,500 pounds of 9-6-3 fertilizer costing \$75.50. The six bales of cotton and 2 tons of cotton seed are worth \$660, making a net profit above the cost of cultivation and fertilization of \$542. At a field meeting on this plot arranged by the county agent and attended by 47 farmers, Mr. Whitmire pointed out that his success was due to deep breaking, proper cultivation and heavy fertilization. A five acre check plot, unfertilized, produced only 1-1/4 bales of cotton and 1-2 ton of cotton seed all of which was worth only \$140.

Story Ranks First

The record, story and exhibit submitted in the State Fair Educational Encampment Contest by Alma Kindt ranks highest in the county. Her complete sewing exhibit is excellent and the record and story gives a detailed account of the year's work. The total value of her turkeys, sewing, canning and field work is \$616.95. She raised 83 turkeys which represents a profit of approximately \$260.

She planted and cared for a one-twentieth acre garden and canned 200 quarts of food which has a value of \$90. She has done all of her own sewing and has made a number of garments for members of the family. Alma packed 322 school lunches during the year. She prepared 53 whole meals and helped prepare other meals. This most versatile girl, with the help of her mother, built a clothes closet for her bed room and papered the room. Also she helped her brothers paint the house. It was thru her efforts that the kitchen was remodeled. Alma planted and cared for her share of the flowers and cleaned the yard 21 times. Aside from regular home work this untiring lass has worked in the field 55 days in addition to time which she spent picking 6,000 pounds of cotton.

Determined To Win

Lorena Nash's educational encampment contest record shows the results of determination to win. In this her third year, she raised a one-twentieth acre garden which yielded 234 pounds of vegetables which were used at home. She canned near a hundred quarts of fruits and vegetables. Lorena's fancy pack vegetables ranked first in the contest. This young lady has developed skill in cooking and sewing. Perhaps her most valuable accomplishment is that of home improvement. Needing a place to store her canned products this 4-H worker took up the saw and hammer and constructed five shelves in the pantry. With the assistance of her sister she papered the dining room and did a number of little things to make the home more attractive.

Second Year

Ervin McLeroy Is Doing Splendidly

Ervin McLeroy, a Bryan boy and an A. and M. College student who is recuperating at Thompson's sanitarium, Kerrville, writes that he is improving very satisfactorily, and wishes to thank his many friends here for the interesting and encouraging letters and for the many thoughtful things they have done for his comfort and to relieve his loneliness. The De Molays and Rainbow Girls recently sponsored the ticket sales for a picture from which they received a commission for Ervin's benefit. The amount thus realized was \$70.

FOR SALE

Seifert Rollers in full song. MRS. J. L. WOODWARD, Phone 442 or 882.

LOST:—Muley red cow, branded on back, J. M. F. Finder return to JOHN MORENO, Steele's Store and get reward of \$5.

Second Year

This is Jennie Lou Griffin's sec-

Productive Power of Brazos County Soil Declines in Recent Years, in Opinion of H. L. Madison of S. P.

(By NELL BENTLEY)

H. L. Madison, agriculturist for the Southern Pacific railroad, addressed a group of local business men, educators and farmers recently on the subject of soil improvement and conservation. Using statistics based on government census reports and local records, Mr. Madison ventured the statement that the productive power of Brazos county soil has passed the peak and begun a steady decline until new cropping and tilling methods are brought into use, and that the accumulation of wealth per capita showed a loss of \$63.03 between 1913 and 1925, with an additional decline since 1925.

"The old style farmer," says Mr. High, "buys on long credits and long profits, in contrast with modern forms of credit and cash buying."

Those who continue to wonder what is the matter with local economic conditions, and who are inclined to blame the weather, high taxes and good roads for the fact that money seems scarcer than it used to be; need only to glance over the totals for given years and averages over five and ten year periods, to realize that we have been passing through a period of economic adjustment during which our population has increased surprisingly while our wealth production has decreased both in the aggregate and on a per capita basis.

"Such farming is hazardous and harrassing for the farmer and unsafe from a credit standpoint for the banker and merchant. The farmer needs something that will give him a weekly or monthly income."

"Large crops are not the solution of the farmer's problem, because large crops usually lower the price. Diversified crops and livestock are his need."

"One of the greatest needs of profitable farming is farm efficiency. As it is with business, so it will be with farming in the future—efficiency and low cost of production. The farmer can get his low cost of production by following a safe and sane plan of farming. In most, if not practically all sections of the United States, the following will be a safe plan:

"Pigs, poultry and dairy cows on every farm; raising food and feed; selling milk and raising more and better (cash) crops on less acres."

Surely Brazos county must see the hand writing on the wall and turn to that which offers the most substantial and satisfactory adjustment, and if eventually—why not now?

Bryan Girls Win Honors at Baylor College, Belton

Bryan friends today are extending congratulations to Miss Leila Law Davis, daughter of Judge W. C. Davis, and Miss Mable Claire Wrenn, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Thomas of College, both students of Baylor College, Belton, who have been chosen from among the 2,000 students to be two of the 25 voices that will sing with the Baylor College Glee Club.

This is a distinct honor and is awarded on merit alone. The director of music at the institution has nothing but words of praise for the voices and the possibilities for these two young ladies. Every citizen of Bryan and College share in the distinction won by these "our girls" for whatever comes to them is a reflected glory upon their home town.

Silver's Motion Again Denied

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Oct. 10.—The Court of Criminal Appeals today denied a second motion of Robert Silver for a rehearing of his case. Silver was granted a third stay of execution until Oct. 26 by Gov. Dan Moody to permit court action on the motion. He was given the death penalty in connection with the theatre holdup in which the cashier was killed.

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Murder Verdicts Again Are Upheld

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Oct. 10.—Murder sentences of Henry Davis, Mitchell county, 99 years, Frank Weaver, Hopkins county, 10 years, Melvin Hollifield, Van Zandt county, 5 years were affirmed. Lloyd Conner's motion for a rehearing on the 99 year murder case in Jones county, was overruled by the Court of Criminal Appeals today.

Jimmie Hodel and Pope Gilmer of Spearman, spent Sunday in Bryan visiting friends.

SPORTING NEWS

DEMOCRACY IS PRESENTED MONDAY NIGHT

SMITH AND HOOVER CONTRASTED IN SPEECHES BEFORE BIG CROWD

County Attorney-elect Tommie L. Tyson of Franklin and Hon. Steve M. King of Beaumont rang the bell every time they aimed their guns at the camp of the Republican party and General Herbert Hoover here Monday night in the first Democratic party meeting of the year in this county. These oratorical sharpshooters took steady aim at the enemy and fired with deadly effect.

We are not making any prediction on the score yet, but the chances are that there will be lots of scoring. Centenary has a group of fine running backs, while the Aggies also are proudest of their backfield.

Shreveport and Centenary are going to send 1,000 rooters to this game, while Houston also is going to conduct a special train.

The Rice Owls put up a disappointing game against St. Edward's of Austin last week, being gloriously defeated. Almost everyone thought Rice had a real team but it seems that they hit the skids early. They play S. M. U. a week from now and probably will get chewed up again. However, they will have time to get in shape for the Aggies. Rice always gives A. and M. a good game.

Judge A. S. Ware of Bryan, who through his speaking in the Lions Club and College Avenue Baptist church has become quite a humorist, says that Sewannee returned to Tennessee via Birmingham.

The world's series is over. However, it really has been over for a week. The Cardinals had hard luck in this series but they also fell down on the public. As great as the Yanks are, they had no right to win it in four straight or six games, either. Again we had luck in guessing the outcome. We indicated that the Yanks would win it but that we were strong for the Cardinals. All of Bryan sports almost, including Charlie Knowles, Jack Allen, Johnnie Collins, Maurice Schulman and John Miniatas were all for the Cards.

The Chicago White Sox have certainly made a plucky fight. The Cubs, in the city series battle, had the count three to one on them, and then the Sox captured the next two games. The Sox have a jinx over the Cubs and appear to be able to win irrespective of the merits of the two teams. Competition between the two leagues would indicate that the American League is faster than the National League.

The attendance of this city series has been the largest in history. The players' pool amounts to the high mark of \$59,000.

The Cardinals surely did not hit much in this series but at that they should have made more runs than they did. Whenever the Cards needed runs, it seemed that they could not produce them. Sunny Jim Bottomly was a bitter disappointment in the series and none of the Card slingers came through as expected.

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(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Oct. 10.—Murder sentences of Henry Davis, Mitchell county, 99 years, Frank Weaver, Hopkins county, 10 years, Melvin Hollifield, Van Zandt county, 5 years were affirmed. Lloyd Conner's motion for a rehearing on the 99 year murder case in Jones county, was overruled by the Court of Criminal Appeals today.

Jimmie Hodel and Pope Gilmer of Spearman, spent Sunday in Bryan visiting friends.



Senator Pat Harrison of Mississippi and Senator Peter G. Gerry of Rhode Island, members and Chairman respectively of the Advisory Committee of the Democratic National Committee, are shown before the microphone as they opened the Democratic radio speaking campaign over 21 stations of the Columbia Broadcasting System last week. Democratic broadcasts will be made Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings for the duration of the campaign.

York State at length, stating that are as follows: Christians, 313; Catholics, 247; Jews, 187; Lutherans, 180; Congregationalists, 112; and the Church of Christ, 101.

There are a few scattering groups of other faiths, the one having the largest membership being the Christian Science believers, with 21 adherents.

The Y. M. A. has collected this information for a number of years. Members of the different denominations are listed with addresses and telephone numbers and typed copied of the lists are sent to the pastors of the various churches. This enables the leaders of the various churches to organize their student religious work within a few days after registration.

Lodge and other organization affiliations of the student body are also obtained in the same manner. This year's survey shows that 75 members of the freshman class belonged to the Hi-Y organization while in high school. Masonic organizations are also well represented.

Thanksgiving Tickets to Go on Sale Nov. 1

Methodists in

Lead at Austin

(Special to The Eagle)

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 10.—Business Manager James Sullivan of the University of Texas indicate that more Methodists attend the University than persons of other denominations according to a survey just completed by the University Y. M. C. A. There are 1,625 students in the University who are members of the Methodist Church or who prefer that denomination.

Other religious denominations come in for their share of members and near-members, with the Baptists second in rank. A total of 994 students expressed a preference for the Baptist Church.

The address of the evening was delivered by Hon. Steve M. King of Beaumont, who made another splendid defense of Mr. Smith's record as Governor, quoting at length from statistics to prove his points. He cited Smith's eight year record as governor of New

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Science Is Responsible for Half of the Wealth of the Nation, Declares Dr. Walton at Science Seminars

Following is the address of President T. O. Walton of A. and M. College on the subject of "The Man's Viewpoint of Science," delivered at a joint banquet of the Science and Social Science Seminars of A. and M. College last night:

Webster defines science as knowledge, as the principles or truths; accumulated and accepted knowledge which has been systematized and formulated with reference to the discovery of general laws; knowledge classified and available in work, life, comprehensive, profound or philosophical knowledge. These definitions, while not new to this group kept in mind, will enable us better to appreciate the point of view masses assume toward the men responsible for the development of truths or for the classification knowledge or making this knowledge available and serviceable to the human family. It also helps us in our attempt to evaluate the mass point of view the scientist if we remember that all classes of the humanly are more or less provincial; the scientist moves and has his in one atmosphere while humanity in general moves in different circles, with little or really no opportunity for the exchange of ideas and points between the two.

Most of the discoveries eat scientific truths have required long periods of time for acceptance. Usually there is a tremendous amount of pre- and ignorance to overcome before the untrained man is in a position to approach new scientists from an impartial view-point to listen seriously to the statement of these facts by responsible for their discoveries. Viewpoints are arrived at educational processes and education operates slowly in so far as the masses of people. We conclusions and our ideas through our prejudices through the development of our faculties and understandings since this is true, then it is so difficult for us to understand the slowness with which people as a whole have accepted scientist as a practical man and a benefactor of the. The point may be illustrated by an incident I recently heard of a college president relate to a young man who applied for entrance to the institution. The boy had been on a ranch in Chambers and when he applied for admission to the institution over the gentleman who related him presided, he was asked if he had any courses he desired to take; he said that he did not know about courses, that he had knowledge of books and read and write with difficulty. He was told that he could not go to the institution but he insisted that he could not go away in education. The president kindly disposed, arranging of his assistants to give special tutorage. All went about two weeks when the boy reported back to the president, that one of the professors insulted him by taking advantage of his ignorance. The boy asked in what way he was insulted and the boy said reporting to his teacher for in geography he had a round ball and the said that it represented the earth; that when he insisted that the round ball not flat the teacher tried to persuade him that the round. The president to argue the case with man, whereupon he said he round here but in county, where I came fool can see that it is

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on many if not all the problems that affect their business. Undoubtedly, the attitude of other groups toward the scientist has changed quite as rapidly as has that of the farmer. If this is not so, it is only because other groups have not had an opportunity to personally observe the value of scientific discoveries to their particular line of business or endeavor. This does not mean, of course, that this percentage of the people will accept the judgment of the scientist upon all the problems affecting their welfare; yet I believe that within another decade the producers of agricultural and live stock products will have accepted the guidance, direction and leadership of the scientist in the performance of every operation necessary to the conduct of a successful farming enterprise. In short, within twenty-five years all scientific facts or knowledge that we have of agricultural practice will be applied wherever applicable and the application will be seen on every farm.

Moreover, there is a keener and more comprehensive understanding of the value of the work of the scientist being shown in all fields. Business and professional men of all types are more and more coming to accept the judgment of the experts and to seek them out and draw from their store of knowledge as they approach the solution of their own problems. The greatest task before us is to speed up the demonstration of the value of the new scientific discoveries and to suppress the spreading of unproven claims of supposed scientific discoveries.

This group all of whom are interested in the advancement of science, all of whom are engaged in scientific research or in teaching scientific truth can wield an influence far-reaching in its effect by keeping the value of the scientific discoveries constantly before your pupils and by helping interpret these facts to the general public.

You have much cause for encouragement. Your efforts are bearing fruit in larger measure each season. Directly and indirectly the people are more and more accepting and applying your findings to the solution of their problems. Your contributions to the general welfare and advancement of the social order are being recognized and in turn you are more fully appreciated for the constructive service you rendered.

Mrs. Cole Honored on Her Birthday

Monday, Oct. 8, was Mrs. J. N. Cole's birthday and her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Emory, planned a beautiful mid-day luncheon in her honor which was served at the La Salle Hotel, with all the children of this dear, good mother present with her for the day.

In the lovely dining room the luncheon table was spread and the autumn tints of October, the birth month of the honoree, were reflected in gorgeous golden marigolds arranged in a crystal receptacle in the center of the table. Five courses were served, after which the birthday cake adorned in golden hued candles all burning in honor of the day was brought in and placed on the table.

The sons and daughters cut the cake, each one making a loving wish and every wish being for her, the dear mother whose guidance and patience and thoughtfulness and prayerful care has been given so lavishly to her family throughout a long and useful life.

Those at table were: The mother, Mrs. J. N. Cole, the daughters, Mrs. G. W. Emory, Mrs. Mattie C. Hall, Mrs. W. S. Adams of San Antonio, Mrs. W. C. Johnson of Beaumont, Mrs. Arthur Moore of Austin, Miss Nell Cole; the sons, Carl M. Cole and Ransome Cole.

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PRIZES TO BE OFFERED FOR BEST ESSAYS

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IS TO ENCOURAGE FIRE PREVENTION ACTIVITY

The Bryan and Brazos County Chamber of Commerce this morning voted to offer prizes for the best essays on Fire Prevention Week. L. E. Warren, representing the Bryan fire department, and at the request of Mrs. W. H. Darrow, president of the Parent-Teacher Association, asked that this organization give prizes on these essays. A motion carried that \$10 be apportioned to the Parent-Teacher Association for the foregoing.

W. S. Howell, chairman of the agricultural committee, reported that five of the Brazos county club boys left yesterday for Dallas to attend the Dallas Fair Club Encampment. These boys were club winners in the county.

Secretary S. E. Eberstadt reported that 16 advertising and 11 soliciting propositions were refused endorsement the past week, and also reported on his trip to San Saba on Chamber of Commerce day.

The directors discussed fire insurance rates and penalties. They also talked of routing of Highway No. 6 in the north end of the city. This was referred to Tyler Haswell and the highway matter to D. L. Wilson.

The following were present: Eugene Edge, Tyler Baswell, J. Webb Howell, W. S. Howell, John M. Lawrence, Oak McKenzie, Mrs. Lee J. Rountree, M. F. Vitopil, and D. L. Wilson.

Two Mexican Brothers Drown Near Here Sunday

Late Sunday two Mexican boys, brothers, were drowned in the Brazos River near the Coulter plantation while in swimming with a crowd of other boys. The younger boy, Iaudio Martinez, aged 11 years, was out on the water and getting into a place which proved too deep for him, he cried out for help. As he was seen to go down for the second time, his brother, Geronimo Martinez, aged 14 years, who was sitting on the river bank, jumped in the water and tried to rescue his brother but both went down and were drowned.

The bodies were rescued and today, Monday, were shipped from Bryan by McCulloch-Dansby, undertakers, over the Missouri Pacific railroad to Kingsville, the former home of the boys, where the double funeral will be held Wednesday morning. The boys were in the Brazos bottom at this time with their parents and other relatives picking cotton and were out for an afternoon recreation when the tragedy occurred.

Luther Burbank of Texas Dead

COLEMAN, Oct. 6.—H. A. Halbert, the Luther Burbank of West Texas died without seeing his latest experiment.

Several years prior to his death he expressed the belief to his friends that native Spanish walnut trees could be budded and made to produce a fine English walnut. In some places he budded many trees but no account of the result was ascertainable.

R. S. Johnson, Coleman building contractor, recently displayed a jar of English walnuts grown on a Spanish walnut tree in his back yard. The nuts were larger than imported walnuts but the shell

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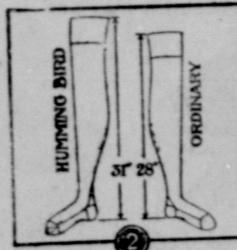
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A newspaper came to our desk today, almost as large in size as the big State dailies on Sunday. It contains interesting write-ups of prominent citizens of the community, who are contributing to its progress and development. How to conduct the business, how to arrange the home, and how to achieve happiness all are disclosed. It is the annual fall harvest edition of the Brenham Banner-Press.

As part of the course of vocational agriculture the student of Bryan high school are now studying the poultry industry. Superintendent H. L. Durham acted wisely when he added vocational agriculture to the things taught in our local school. Practical subjects have too long been omitted from the curriculum of our public schools. It was even more important in the past than it is today for it used to be that most of the students never went beyond high school and thus they had the opportunity to learn only those subjects taught by the public school. But the need is still imperative and the training will be of much value to the students.

General John J. Pershing was given a great ovation at the American Legion convention in San Antonio. The General, who has been retired, held in the highest admiration and in respect by the former soldiers. The General was retired shortly after the World War on account of his advanced age, but it seemed a shame to put a man of such fine attributes in the discard. He is truly a great leader, a great strategist, and a great man.

The many friends of Father De Simone, who formerly lived here, regretted to learn of his mysterious death in Beaumont Monday. He, along with a paperhanger, were found shot to death. At first it was thought that one had shot the other and then committed suicide, but now it is believed that they were killed by a third party. Father De Simone is remembered by the Bryan public for his friendliness and kindness toward others.

Steve M. King of Beaumont delivered an effective and impassioned address here Monday night, in which he vividly contrasted the Democratic and Republican parties, and the character and religion of Al Smith and Herbert Hoover. He proved conclusively that Mr. Hoover through environment and connections was more "wet" than Mr. Smith, and effectively contrasted the war records of the followers of the faith of Mr. Smith, and the followers of the faith of Mr. Hoover. Those who think that prohibition is the issue in this campaign can receive far more relief from the candidacy of Mr. Smith than they can from the candidacy of Mr. Hoover.

Wedding Ceremony Performed on Deck

HOUSTON, Oct. 9.—The rumble of winches and shouts of longshoremen provided the only nuptial music for the wedding of the former Miss Ella Koehler of Hamberg, Germany, and Herman Stichweh of Houston.

The ceremony was performed aboard the after deck of German motorship *Alo Panucco* when she arrived in Houston. The only way the German lass could enter this country was as the wife of Stichweh, who had taken out his citizenship, so the bridegroom took the license, minister, ring and flowers to shipside.

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Les Akers Says He Can't Think Today

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and So He Will Write About Politics

(BY LES AKERS)

Yes Sir, I don't seem to be able to think today so I will write about politics. And speakin about politics and all the campain speakers goin over the country I often wonder why they dont take a few tips from nature and see that a fellers mouth is made to shut and his ears made to stay open. I sometimes think maybe that all these fellers out stump speakin may not be tellin all the truth about everything they say. If they are there is one thing to it for certain and that is that we are sure to have a crook and liar and drunkard and all aroon seoundrel for our next president. This campaign the ought to make everybody want to leave the

towns and cities and go back to the farm for it is surprisin to find out how poplar the farmer is and how many friens he has in both parties and how anxious they are to help him. It seems both sides is countin on we farmers for "farm relief" and we now have some party to come out on a platform of a full gas tank. But anyhow it is a funny but interestin campaign with the Demokrats tryin hard to ack dry and look wet and make the Tammany tiger in the donkey's stall, while the Republicans are havin a terrible time makin Mr. Hoover appear dry in the west and wet in the east and at the same time keep enough whitewash on the Republican elephant to keep the votin publick from seein the "oil spots." It would help a lot in decidin who will win if we could just find out how the carpet sweepin industry stands on Hoover and what the cough drop makers thinks of Smith.

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Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, absent for a year in advanced study at Columbia University, has resumed position as clothing specialist of the Extension Service. Miss Mamie Lee Hayden, who filled the post during Mrs. Barnes' absence, has been named home industry specialist to direct the rapidly expanding home products marketing work fostered by the Extension Service.

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Report from the chemistry and chemical engineering department of the college for the new scholastic year shows a grand total of 1,507 students taking work in the department. Of these, 1,110 are freshmen enrolled in courses as follows: General agriculture 126, agricultural administration 96, engineering 691, arts and sciences 128, other courses 69. The report, in dealing with equipment facilities, shows only 390 desks available for freshmen students and 270 desks for advanced students.

There are only two available recitation rooms in the chemistry building, 41 rooms in other buildings being used. In some freshman laboratories, the report continues, four or five men occupy single desks and in all laboratories at least three students are assigned to a desk.

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New list of the teaching staff at the A. and M. College of Texas shows a total of 192, including deans, heads of departments, professors and instructors. The chemistry and chemical engineering department is one of the leading departments in number of teaching personnel, having sixteen. There are fifteen on the mathematics teaching staff, thirteen on the English staff and sixteen on the military science staff.

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Two Champs Meet Saturday When Aggies and Centenary Play at A.-M. Saturday; Colorful Fight Expected

COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 10, backs that he has seen in the years of the 1928 Southwestern Conference grid season is expected to take place on Kyle Field Saturday Oct. 13, when Coach Dana X. Bible's Texas Aggie gridsters, winners of the Southwest title last season, and Coach Homer Norton's Centenary Gentlemen, champions of the S. I. A. A. last fall, meet in one of the hardest games on both team's schedules for this year.

Last year both the Aggies and Centenary had teams which won praise from national sports critics, members of both teams being chosen among the outstanding college players of the nation. Coach Newton's eleven was one of the few major teams to go thru the season without a loss or a tie in the ten games played. While the Aggies went through the season undefeated, they were held to a scoreless tie by the T. C. U. Horned Frogs at Fort Worth. The Horned Frogs also held the Gentlemen to their lowest score of the season last year, the Louisianians barely nosing through with a 7 to 3 victory.

Besides winning from T. C. U. the Gentlemen defeated three other Southwest Conference elevens last fall, beginning with the S. M. U. Mustangs, whom they downed with 21 to 12 score. Baylor was defeated 9 to 6 and the Rice Owls went down under a 33 to 7 score. The Centenary eleven finished the season with a total of 259 points to their opponents' 37. Only four teams crossed the Centenary goal line during the season. This year the Gentlemen have turned in two victories in as many starts.

The Louisiana school this year has virtually the same team which swept its way to victory over all comers last year, since they lost only three lettermen because of graduation. The same backfield combination with Charlie Smith at quarter, Jake Hanna and Bear Allday on the halves and Ted Jeffers at full is back in Centenary harness and reports from Aggie scouts and others who have seen this backfield work indicate that it is as strong this year as it was when it out-pointed all opponents last season. Coach Frank Anderson, who scouted the Centenary eleven in its first game, says that the Aggies' work, in Allday and Hanna the Gentlemen have two of the best running

Bryan Students Study Poultry

MILTON CUNNINGHAM

Since the Bryan high agricultural students have met classes we have been studying poultry problems. After we studied them for a few days, we made two trips for the purpose of putting into practice what we had learned in the classroom. One trip was to Allen Withers' and the other to Eugene Beard's place to cull their flocks.

In the study of poultry we found the best time for culling hens was about July 1 to September 1 because the poor layers are usually molting at this time and are not laying. In culling one can look at the head and usually tell whether or not the bird is a good layer. In case she is a good layer she has a well shaped head, full, waxy comb, long, bleached wattles and earlobes, bleached eyerings, and a full bright eye. The vent is large, bleached and moist. The space between the pelvic and keel bones should be large enough to place about four fingers and is also pliable. A poor layer has a withered and scaled covered comb and wattles, the space between the keel and pelvic bones is hard and not so wide as on a good layer, and the vent is dry, yellow and very small. A poor layer is always standing around the house tending her feathers, while a good layer is out scratching for feed.

One should always keep his flock well cared for and all the culs out of it. When one has a flock of 100 hens and gets about 20 eggs per day there is something wrong and he should get someone to cull the flock. If no one else can do the work a member of the Bryan high school vocational agriculture class will do the work for them have learned how to do it. You do not want any birds in the flock that are eating the feed from the good layers and crowding them while giving nothing in return for it.

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Black of Cameron Accepts Position With the First Baptist Church Here



H. P. Black of Cameron, recently called by the First Baptist church of Bryan to serve in the capacity of educational director of the local church, has notified Rev. R. E. Day, pastor, of his acceptance stating that he and his family will arrive in Bryan during the coming week to begin his work here October 15.

H. P. Black is a graduate of Decatur College and also of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, and has been engaged in educational work for the past five years with marked success. For the

past two years Mr. Black has been with the First Baptist church at Cameron, where he has accomplished a great and lasting good. Mrs. Black is an accomplished musician and a splendid assistant

to her husband in his educational plans. With their two fine boys, Mr. and Mrs. Black will be welcomed as citizens in Bryan and Brazos County.

Eberstadt Has Splendid Trip to San Saba

SAM E. EBERSTADT, secretary of the Bryan and Brazos County Chamber of Commerce, returned last night from San Saba, where he delivered several addresses on the value of Chamber of Commerce activities, with particular regard to the work of the Bryan organization.

Between 10 and 11 o'clock he talked to the directors of the Chamber of Commerce. There also were a number of other civic leaders present. At this meeting he discussed raising the budget, and adopting a soliciting and advertising plan.

From 12 to 1:30 o'clock he spoke at the Rotory Club luncheon. Each Rotarian had invited business men to the banquet, and again Mr. Eberstadt spoke of Chamber of Commerce activities.

At 2:30 o'clock he spoke at the public schools on "How Bryan Chamber of Commerce Back Education in Bryan." At this meeting he told how Superintendent H. L. Durham took an active part in various organizations, and also called attention to the almost unanimous vote given the school bond election recently.

At 4 o'clock he spoke to a mass meeting of women, and at that time discussed the activities of the women's clubs in the development of Bryan.

At night he addressed a mass meeting of several hundred citizens on Chamber of Commerce work. An orchestra played music preceding his speech. County Agent N. E. Scutter and Secretary E. B. House of the Chamber of Commerce presided.

Mr. Eberstadt said that San Saba had sold \$300,000 worth of turkeys, \$175,000 worth of pecans, and \$200,000 in wool.

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Democratic Speaking Dates Are Announced

Senator-Elect Charles S. Gaine announces that the Democratic speaking dates for Brazos county are as follows:

Bryan, Main street, Monday, Oct. 8; Millican, Tuesday, Oct. 6; Bethel School House, Wednesday, Oct. 10; Reliance, Friday, Oct. 12; Steep Hollow, Monday, Oct. 15; Wellborn, Tuesday, Oct. 16; Kurten, Wednesday, Oct. 17; Bryan, Main Street, Friday, Oct. 19; Tabor, Monday, Oct. 22; Edge, Wednesday, Oct. 24; Smetana, Friday, Oct. 26; Steele's Store, Monday, Oct. 29; Bryan, Main street, Monday, Nov. 5.

All of the speakings will start at 7:30 o'clock.

Curtis Holland Elected Head Junior B.Y.P.U.

The members of the Primary and Junior B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church, College Station, met at the home of Mrs. R. L. Brown Wednesday afternoon for a business and social meeting. Election of officers for the two B. Y. P. U.'s took place. The officers chosen for the Junior B. Y. P. U. were: President, Curtis Holland; vice president, Davis Burley; recording secretary, Florence Ayers; chorister, Truman Martin; Bible readers leader Bobby Flagg; group captains, Zula Holland and Everett Morehead, and leader, Mrs. H. T. Holland.

The Primaries elected the following officers: President, Thelma Ayers; vice president, Mildred Phillips; recording secretary, Zelia Belle Lloyd; treasurer, Claud Phillips; chorister, Lucille Thornton; group captains, Enoch Smith and B. J. Lloyd; and leader, Mrs. R. L. Brown.

After the business session the children with their leaders played games on the lawn. Ice cream cones were then served by Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Holland to all who were present.

The following children compose the membership of these B. Y. P. U.'s: Zula Holland, Florence Ayers, Lucy Phillips, Katherine Mouser, Bernice Free, Bobby Flagg, LaVerne Jones, Dorothy Little, Everett Morehead, Curtis

Holland, Davis Burley, Marshall J. Lloyd, Zelia Belle Lloyd, Doug Carroll, Truman Martin, Gaston Las Shows, Edna Byrom, Ernest Clary, George Morgan, Enoch Morgan, Lucile Thornton, Duke Smith, Claude Phillips, Mildred Phillips, Thelma Ayers, Edward Thornton and Aaron Martin.

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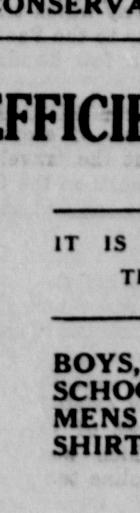
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Noted Speakers on Program for Science Seminar

The program for the year of the Social Science Seminar of A. and M. College discloses that a number of speakers of statewide and nationwide reputations are to appear at A. and M. College. The speakers for the year are Dr. Daniel Russell, Dean E. J. Kyle, Dr. L. L. Click, Captain Lewis A. Pick, William Allen White, W. S. Campbell, Dr. John O. Beatty, Henry Goddard Leach, Curtis Vinson, Dr. Jessie Whitacre, Dr. Thomas Mayo, L. G. Adams, J. B. Abbott and R. L. Hunt.

October 15: Dr. Daniel Russell, head of Rural Sociology Department, "Fundamental Motives of Human Behavior."

October 29: Dean E. J. Kyle, Dean School of Agriculture, "Scope and Importance of the Survey of the Land Grant Colleges."

November 12: Dr. L. L. Click, University of Texas, "George Merriweather, 1828-1928."

November 26: Captain Lewis A. Pick, E. C., U. S. Army, "The Flood Control Plan of the Mississippi."

December 5: William Allen White, editor, author, speaker. Subject to be announced.

January 21: W. S. Campbell, University of Oklahoma, "Epic Aspects of the Old Southwest."

February 4: Dr. John O. Beatty, Southern Methodist University, "Race and Population; Possible Solutions of a Difficult Problem."

February 20: Henry Goddard Leach, editor of the Forum, "The Next Fifty Years."

March 4: Curtis Vinson, director of publicity, "The Press, Its Trend and Something of Its Influence on Affairs."

March 18: Jessie Whitacre, chief of Rural Home Research, "Cultural Values in Home Economics."

April 1: Dr. Thomas Mayo, librarian, "Tendencies of the Contemporary New York Stage."

April 15: L. G. Adams, department of Economics, "Appraisal of World Housing."

April 29: J. B. Abbott, English department, "Notes and Asides 17 Century Letters."

May 13: R. L. Hunt, department of Marketing and Finance, "Agricultural Cooperation."

May 20: Final Banquet with Science Seminar. Speaker and subject to be selected.

Howell Fair Is Attracting State, National Interest

The Howell Lumber Company Fair, which is held each year for the rural people of Brazos county by W. S. Howell, will be held this year on Saturday Nov. 3. This fair is attracting state and national interest among the lumbermen of the United States, many of whom are contemplating following Mr. Howell's example of giving a free fair, all of the prizes and expenses being borne by the lumber company.

The State Lumbermen's Association, of which Mr. Howell is a former president, will send a committee this year to inspect the local fair with the view of recommending to the state board of directors the advisability of other fairs doing likewise. The following committee was appointed: Roy P. Jeter, Jeter Lumber Company, Cameron; J. C. Hubbard, John C. Hubbard Lumber Co., Weimar; U. S. Pfeuffer, Pfeuffer Lumber Co., New Braunfels; W. R. Jahnke, Farmers and Merchants Lumber Co., Brenham.

In a copy of the American Lumberman there appears a two-page write-up of this fair. Pictures of the fair are shown, as well as a picture of W. S. Howell. A sketch of the history of the fair is given, and details as to the prizes and other facts are published. The article states that this fair is an outstanding piece of unselfish service to the rural people.

Poultry Dealers Meet in Temple

TEMPLE, Oct. 6.—To prepare themselves for marketing of Texas turkeys under federal inspection, 100 representatives of poultry dealers in central Texas will meet here late in October to attend a grading school.

Poultry men from this district, one of the four in the state, are expected from Brownwood, Brady, Hico, Hillsboro, Lampasas, Georgetown, San Saba, Goldthwaite, Cameron and Caldwell.

Under a plan adopted for the first time in Texas, turkeys will be graded and stamped under government regulations. The object of the move, raisers say, is to increase the quality of the Texas turkey which for several years has been selling under the price offered for eastern raised birds.

Since September was one of the best months on record, turkeys on meat during the 30-day period. They will be fattened on in between the present time and the Thanksgiving season.

Mrs. L. H. Tucker has returned from a visit to Mart. She was accompanied home by her son, Mr. Mrs. N. B. Tucker, who came a few days visit and returned home today.

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(Continued from page 1) bass, and with the singers thus arranged the music of the day was most excellent. With the piano placed on the stage in the auditorium and the leaders taking their places on the stage, also the music was excellent throughout the day.

At the noon hour a spread of delicious good things to eat, "fit for the King," was enjoyed by the nearly 1,000 people present and so generous was the spread that baskets full were removed from the tables when dinner was over. Big barrels of ice water were placed for the comfort of the people, and although the October day was hot as August, no one suffered for water, food or a cool place to sit and enjoy the singing.

President Jess Hensarling furnished The Eagle with a list of the song leaders of the day and also the pianists as follows: Leaders, W. L. Eaves, George Jones, Aaron McMayan, Roland Crenshaw, J. G. Barnett, Bert Parker, Bert Phillips, J. W. Parker, W. T. Kelly, Alton Risinger, C. F. Goen, Bert Barron, Walter Johnson, John Whitten, David Bunting, Floyd Saxon, B. L. Risinger, Jim Phillips, A. G. Barnett, Britton Henderson, T. D. Poteete, Rev. R. L. Brown, Louis B. Thompson, Claude Abbott, Herman Hicks, G. L. McCurry.

Pianists: Mrs. W. T. Kelly, Miss Bertie Risinger, Mrs. J. T. Closs, Roland Crenshaw, Bert Phillips.

Special singers: John Pickery, L. Clifton, M. McWhorter, C. B. Riddle.

The next meeting of the Brazos County Singing Convention will be held the first Sunday in May, 1929, at Edge.

Devotion Costs Graham's Life

DALLAS, Oct. 9.—Devotion to duty cost the life of Charles Graham, 60, railroad flagman, here today when he was struck and killed by an automobile he had attempted to prevent crossing directly in the path of a fast train.

Witnesses told officers that the aged man, heedless of danger to himself, ran in front of the automobile when it was within a few feet of him, frantically waving a flag in the face of the driver, stopping the machine.

Advantages of Old Spanish Trail in Texas Recited

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—Efforts to obtain from a Justice of the Supreme Court an appeal for William Edward Hickman, at Los Angeles, under sentence of death for the murder of Marian Parker, were abandoned here Tuesday after council for Hickman had vainly urged Justices Butler and Holmes to permit the case to be brought up.

Efforts will be made to obtain a commutation of sentence from the Governor of California as the last hope of saving the life of Hickman, whose execution date is set for Oct. 19.

High School Poultry Class Makes Two Trips

(By CHARLES WEHRMAN)

The Vocational agriculture class of the Bryan high school under the direction of H. L. Lauerkuhn, has been in the study of poultry for the past week. The class of which I am a member made two trips for the purpose of culling poultry the past week. On Wednesday we culled the flock of Allen Withers and Thursday we culled the flock of Eugene Beard, both boys members of the class. On our first trip our teacher demonstrated the method of culling and each boy began the work at once.

In culling poultry the bird should be placed in the hand with three fingers between her feet so that the bird rests easy and the examination is made easier. The head is the first part to examine.

The head on a good layer should have the following points: A well bleached beak, red comb, red or faded wattles and earlobes. The eyes should also be bright and stand out. The head should be deep and not too fleshy. She should have a wide back and should have at least three fingers capacity between the keel bone and the pelvic bones. The pelvic bones should be thin and far apart. The hen should have a large, soft ab-

Tick Eradication Most Pressing and Important Step Facing Dairying Development According to Stanford

LONGVIEW, Oct. 8.—Tick eradication is the most pressing and important step facing development in East Texas, in the opinion of J. E. Stanford, agricultural director of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce.

"In the development of the dairy industry in East Texas on a safe and profitable basis, the first and most important thing to be done, as we view it, is not the importation of improved dairy cattle on a large scale, or the establishment of numerous milk plants, but it is the question of fever tick and banishing it forever from East Texas, in order that the wonderful natural advantages of the section may be fully developed," Mr. Stanford has stated.

"The cost of tick-eradication has ceased to be a question to be considered, since we must either pay for eradicating the ticks or else pay a larger cost to maintain them. Experience with the cattle tick shows that it cost almost twice as much to board the ticks for one year as it does to eradicate them for all time. At present it costs less than \$25,000 on an average to clean up a county, the major portion of such cost being borne by the State and Federal governments, the counties being required only to furnish and maintain the dipping vats. In this section, the average loss per county in which there is a general infestation of ticks is more than \$40,000 a year. This estimate is based on figures obtained from the best authorities available, which shows an average loss of about \$7.50 a head in counties having ticks. It is shown that cattle of the quarantined areas would bring \$7.50 a head less than cattle of tick-free territory. On this basis, the 210,000 cattle in East Texas now under quarantine, would represent a loss of nearly \$1,600,000 a year.

"According to Government authorities, the total cost to all parties concerned for this group of counties, which have unexecuted dairying advantages, would be approximately \$1,000,000 for complete eradication of the tick. Thus, it is clearly shown that the present loss sustained in these counties is more than \$500,000 in any

one year above the amount that the Federal, State and County governments would have to spend to make this vast area tick-free territory.

"If it were possible to get the people in these ticky counties to visit personally any of the many tick-free counties, and talk man to man with the farmers, dairymen, cattle raisers and business men of these communities, it would be an easy matter to make of them ardent apostles of tick-eradication.

"During the past year representatives of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce have had several occasions to confer with officials of concerns whose business is to finance and build milk plants and have undertaken to interest them in locating plants at some points in this infested territory, where many of the local citizens are anxious for such development. But on each occasion the reply has been that this is ticky territory, and they are in no wise interested in locating plants where the dairyman has to compete with the ticks.

"It can be put down as a certainty that no real and lasting major dairy development is going to take place in a county that is tick-infested.

"Farmers around Starkville, are receiving from the milk plant at Starkville about \$165,000 in cash each month. Furthermore, during last year this condensary and the twenty-three creameries now flourishing in Mississippi bought 36,000,000 pounds of milk, worth on an average of \$2.40 per hundred pounds, from farmers in the tick-free areas of that state.

"As far as East Texas is concerned, the tick situation is improving slowly but steadily. Several counties have recently renewed dipping activities, while the matter is under consideration in several other counties. Also, there is a more favorable attitude toward eradication in every infested county in our territory, and it is only a matter of a short time until all the black spots will be removed from our map, and our farmers will have an equal opportunity in competing with other sections in dairying, thus being able to balance their farm program and have fifty-two days per year, instead of one."

Barron to Speak in Dallas Saturday

Hon. Joe H. Boggs of San Angelo, president of the Texas Legislators' Fraternity has sent out announcements for the second annual reunion to be held at Dallas and Hon. John E. Davis of Dallas, veteran member of the House and chairman of the arrangements for Legislators' Day has announced the following tentative program:

Texas legislators will be guests of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon Saturday noon, Oct. 13, at the Adolphus Hotel, this event being in connection with Legislators' Day at the State Fair of Texas. Plans for entertaining the lawmakers were discussed at a meeting Friday at the Baker Hotel.

The following committee was appointed to help in taking up tickets at the play, "Here Comes Artemella": R. V. Armstrong, Tom Suber, S. E. Eberstadt, and Noah Daniels.

The following 10-year program was submitted by M. M. Erskine:

"Encourage and endorse building of city auditorium building and fire station. Advocate enlarging of fire department and paid firemen. Traffic lights on Main Street or Boulevard Main Street crossings. Advocate paving of Bryan Street. Encourage location of air port, also market center for Bryan. Advocate more Dollar Days and Trade Days. More electric signs on Main Street. Request that 24-hour telegraphic service be rendered Bryan. Advocate continuous paving program for Bryan. Appoint fire prevention committee to work with Chamber of Commerce. Encourage and support annual fair sponsored by Lion W. S. Howell.

Schools: Encourage more vigorous support of the high school, and advocate high school band. Encourage and support bond issues for permanent school buildings. Advocate purchase of athletic field for high school.

Parks and Playgrounds: Sponsor adding adequate playground equipment in Sue Haswell Memorial Park, also full time keeper for park.

Encourage playground equipment on vacant lots over city.

Advocate larger appropriation by City Commission for parks and playgrounds. Advocate bond issue for playground equipment and supervision.

Highways: Encourage and advocate concrete highways North and South, East and West across county. Advocate more vigorous and systematic upkeep of lateral roads by the county.

Rural: Encourage the planting of high grade cotton seed by community. Support county agent and home demonstration agent in their work. Encourage root rot control. Advocate and encourage movement for cow, sow and hen on every farm. Support, encourage and attend rural club meetings.

Industrial: Encourage location of industries such as, cotton mills, cheese factories, cream plants, brick and pickle factory. Appoint industrial committee to foster location of industrial agencies and work with Chamber of Commerce.

Last Month's work was discussed and plans were made for future activities. The health nurse was instructed to attend the interracial meeting soon.

The following were present: Mrs. J. L. Brock, Mrs. Tyler Haswell, Mrs. David Reid, Mrs. D. B. Cofer, Mrs. E. L. Thomas, Mrs. John Hicks of Steep Hollow, Mrs. W. B. Cline, and Miss Ella Bandelin.

Interment was made in the Bryan city cemetery under direction of McCulloch-Dansby funeral directors. A wealth of beautiful flowers covered the new made grave, and proved the love and friendship which the deceased was held by a host of friends. The pall bearers were: R. J. Halbrooks, W. S. Barron, McDuff Simpson, A. S. Ware, W. W. Griffin and J. L. Reese.

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There is no sense in being scared of anyone; he may be more scared of you than you of him.

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Four Brazos Girls Win Scholarships

Four Brazos county girls have been awarded scholarships to the State Fair Educational Encampment. The scholarships were given by the Chamber of Commerce.

Estelle Murray, a first year girl of Steep Hollow, Jennie Lee Griffin, a second year girl of Edge, Lorena Nash, third year girl of King's Highway and Alma Kindt, outstanding fourth year girl of King's Highway are the winners.

Each of these girls have excelled in club work during the year and the scholarships were awarded for girl's exhibits submitted. They will leave for Dallas Monday, Oct. 15, and return on the 19th. While there they will be the guests of the State Fair of Texas and will also take educational trips over the city. Three hundred 4-H girls from over the state will attend the encampment.

For keeping up with the news in Brazos—The Eagle.

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SINGING—

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"Somewhere a Voice Is Calling." George Griffin will sing one of these four songs: "Just a Memory," "Because," "On the Road to Mandalay," and "Rose of My Heart." The four Vaughn singers delighted the Lions with several excellent songs.

President Henry Locke read a communication from Governor John Erhard seeking members for a Texas band to play at the Louisville convention.

The following committee was appointed to help in taking up tickets at the play, "Here Comes Artemella": R. V. Armstrong, Tom Suber, S. E. Eberstadt, and Noah Daniels.

The following 10-year program was submitted by M. M. Erskine:

"Encourage and endorse building of city auditorium building and fire station. Advocate enlarging of fire department and paid firemen. Traffic lights on Main Street or Boulevard Main Street crossings. Advocate paving of Bryan Street. Encourage location of air port, also market center for Bryan. Advocate more Dollar Days and Trade Days. More electric signs on Main Street. Request that 24-hour telegraphic service be rendered Bryan. Advocate continuous paving program for Bryan. Appoint fire prevention committee to work with Chamber of Commerce. Encourage and support annual fair sponsored by Lion W. S. Howell.

Schools: Encourage more vigorous support of the high school, and advocate high school band. Encourage and support bond issues for permanent school buildings. Advocate purchase of athletic field for high school.

Parks and Playgrounds: Sponsor adding adequate playground equipment in Sue Haswell Memorial Park, also full time keeper for park.

Encourage playground equipment on vacant lots over city.

Advocate larger appropriation by City Commission for parks and playgrounds. Advocate bond issue for playground equipment and supervision.

Highways: Encourage and advocate concrete highways North and South, East and West across county. Advocate more vigorous and systematic upkeep of lateral roads by the county.

Rural: Encourage the planting of high grade cotton seed by community. Support county agent and home demonstration agent in their work. Encourage root rot control. Advocate and encourage movement for cow, sow and hen on every farm. Support, encourage and attend rural club meetings.

Industrial: Enc